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**Via ECF & Email**

Hon. I. Leo Glasser, U.S.D.J.  
United States District Court  
Eastern District of New York  
Courtroom 8B South  
Chambers Room 921 South  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Re: **Hessam v. Dollar Tree Stores, Inc.**  
Case No.: 1:17-cv-07255-ILG-ST (E.D.N.Y)

Dear Judge Glasser:

We represent Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matter and we write to provide the Court with a status report of the voluntary arbitrations pursuant to the communication from Mr. Stanley Kessler dated March 26, 2019. Currently, eight out of the nine individual's claims have been resolved for opt-in claimants. However, the matter involving Named Plaintiff Sayed Hessam is proceeding through Judicial Arbitration and Mediation Services, Inc. (JAMS), with an arbitration hearing currently scheduled for April 8 through April 12, 2019, before the Honorable Ariel E. Belen (Ret.). We will keep the Court updated on the status of this matter after the conclusion of the aforementioned hearing.

We thank Your Honor and the Court for your time and consideration to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,



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